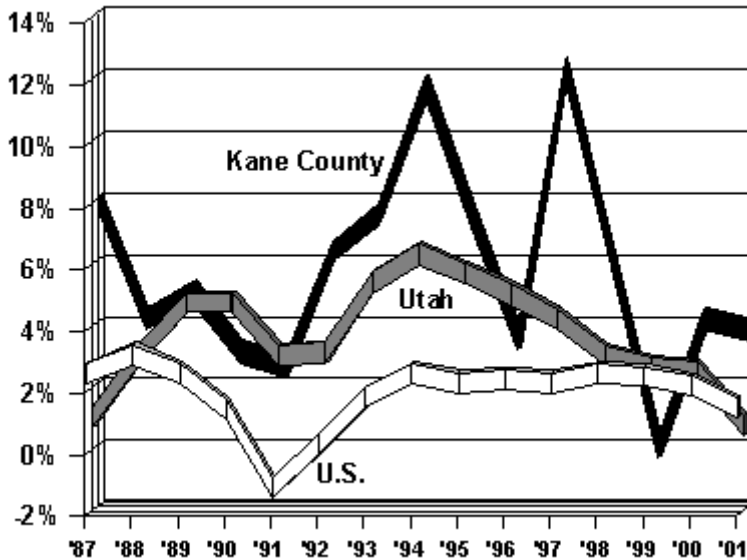


Employment Profile

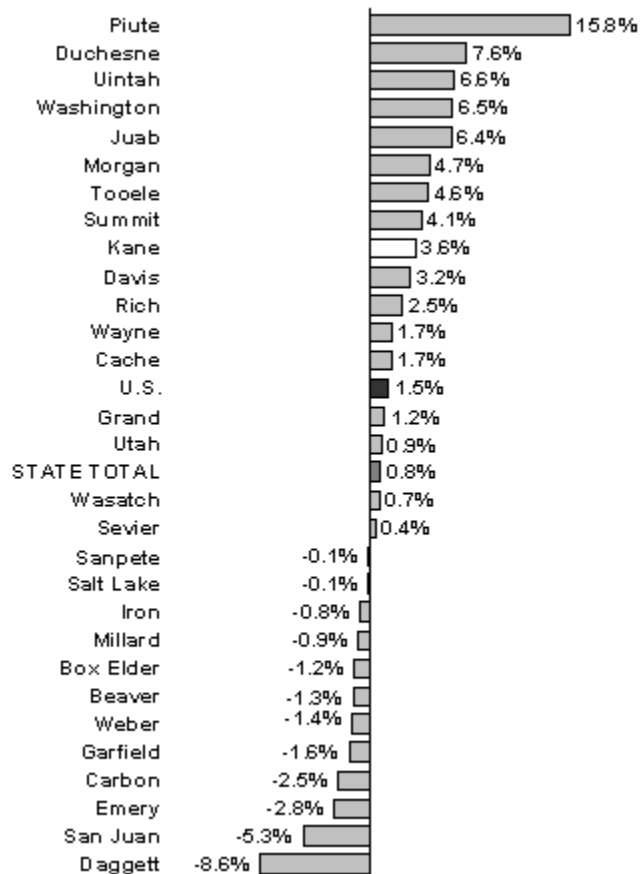
Annual Growth in Nonfarm Jobs



Kane County typically follows the general trend of Utah and U.S. job growth—with higher peaks and valleys. However, it departed from the larger-economy trend starting in 2000 when job growth rates rebounded.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Annual 2001* Growth in Nonfarm Jobs

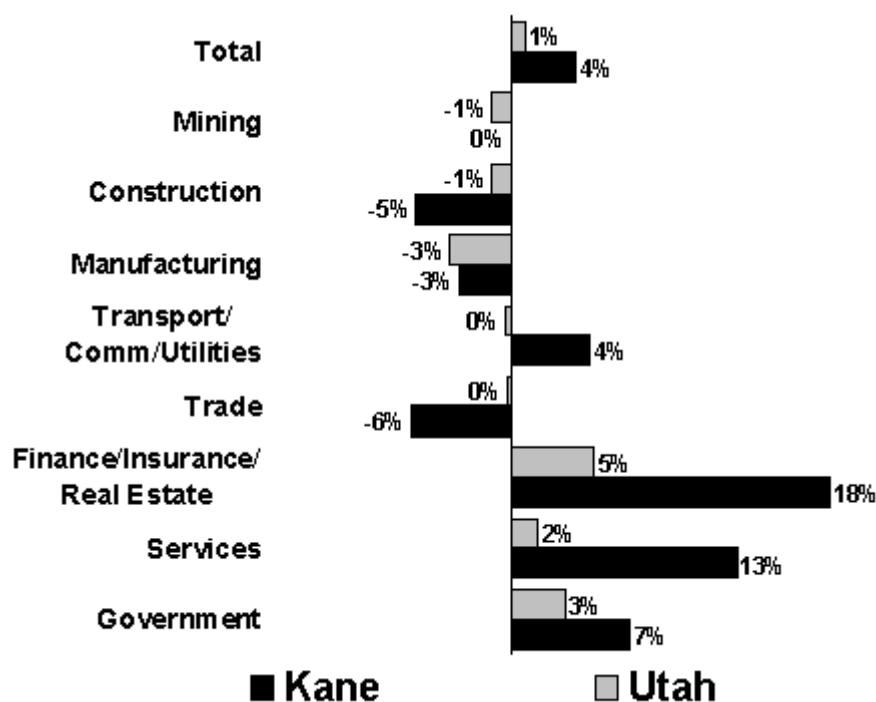


With 3.6 percent nonfarm job growth, Kane County was among the faster-growing counties during 2001. In fact, Kane County's moderate growth is probably preferable to some of the more spectacular employment expansion.

*Preliminary data.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

2000-2001* Nonfarm Job Percent Change

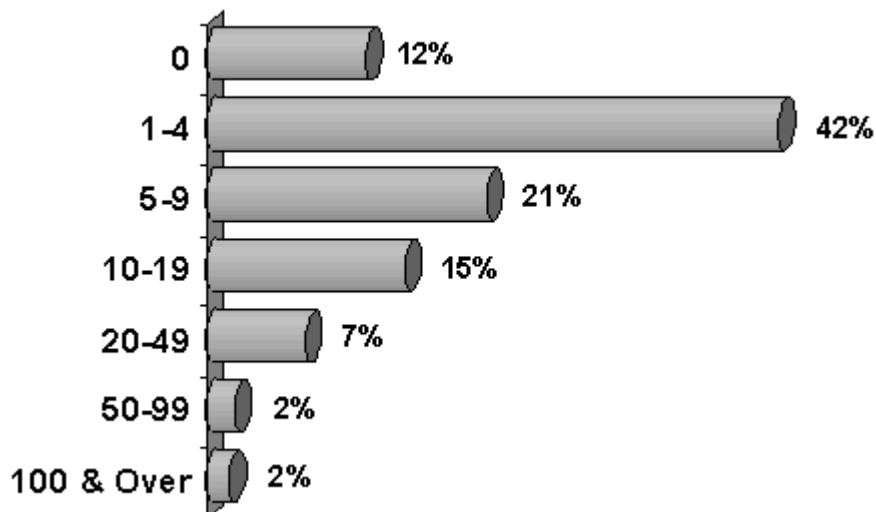


Despite a moderate 4-percent rate of nonfarm job growth in 2001, goods-producing industries felt the effects of the national downturn with declining employment levels.

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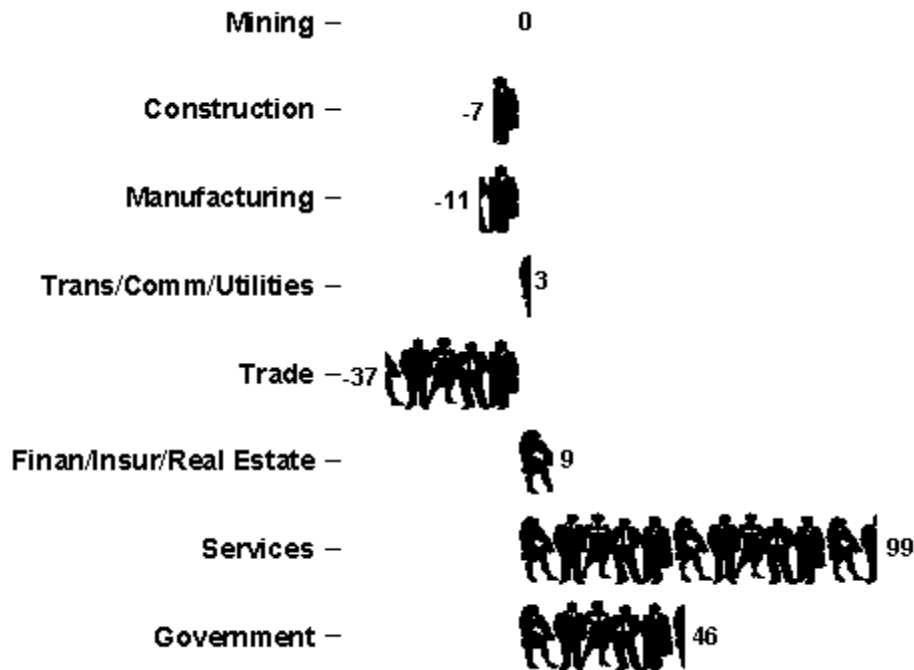
1st Quarter 2001 Kane Firms by Size



In Kane County, more than half the firms have fewer than five employees.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

2000-2001* Nonfarm Job Growth by Industry

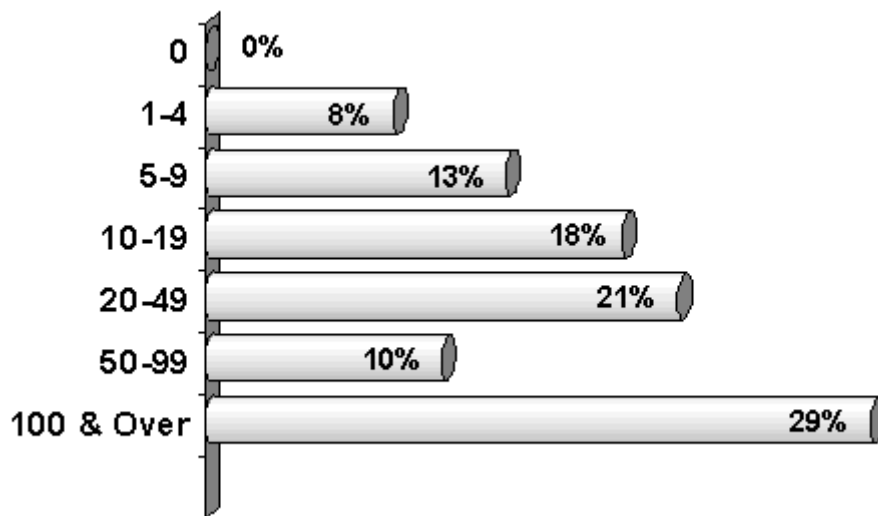


Kane County created about 100 net new jobs in the year 2001. Services and government added most of these new positions. On the other hand, trade lost a significant number of jobs in 2001.

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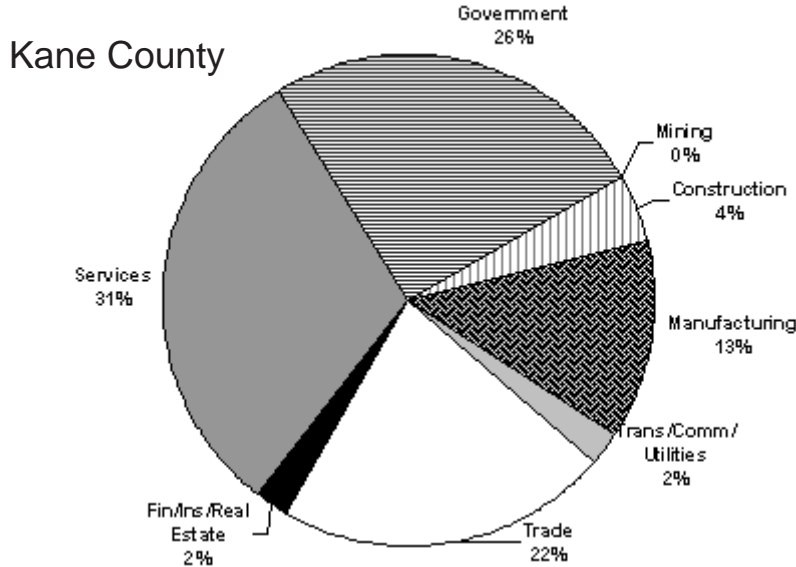
1st Qtr 2001 Kane Jobs by Firm Size



Large companies with 250 or more employees account for more almost 30 percent of total employment in Kane County.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

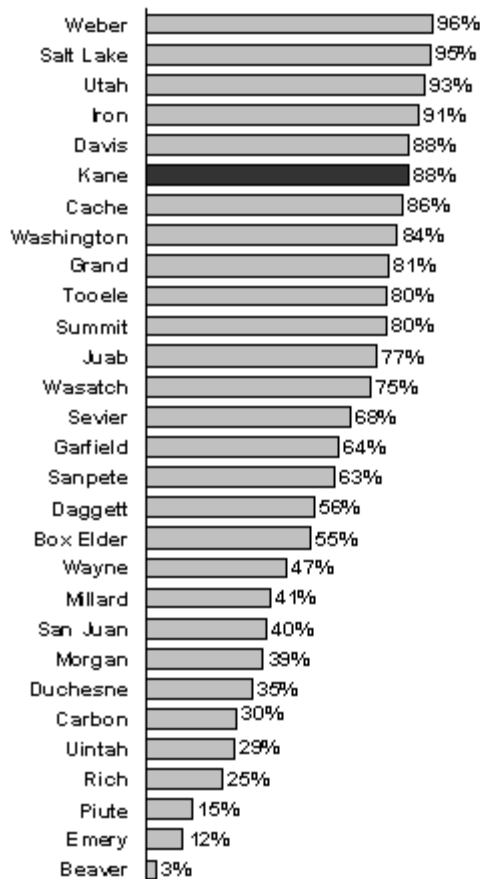
2001 Nonfarm Jobs Distribution by Industry



Trade, government and services dominate Kane County's economy. Manufacturing also plays a larger role than in most nonurban counties.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.

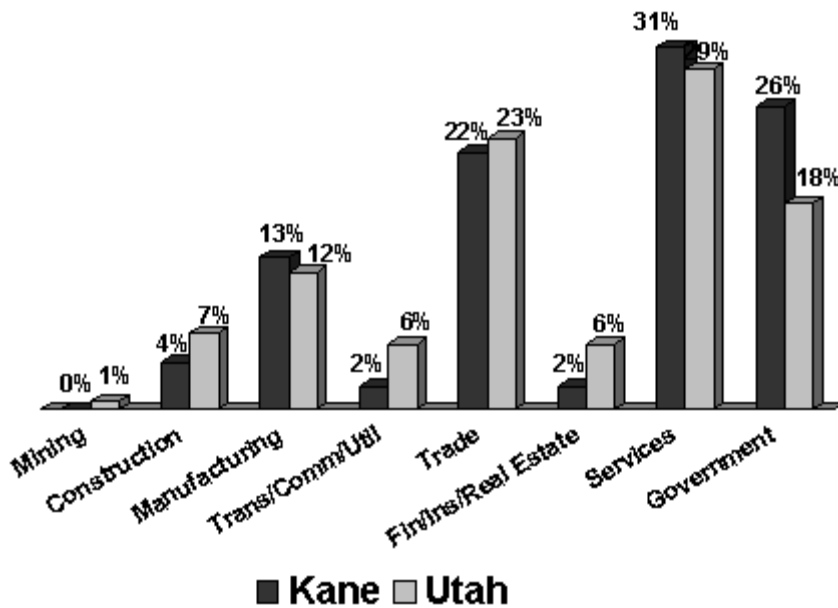
2000 Hachman Index by County



Kane County's economy is relatively diverse according to the Hachman Index. This index compares industrial diversity in one area and another. The closer the index to 100, the closer the county is to the industrial profile of the United States. A strong manufacturing presence in Kane County contributes to its industrial diversity.

Source: Utah Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.

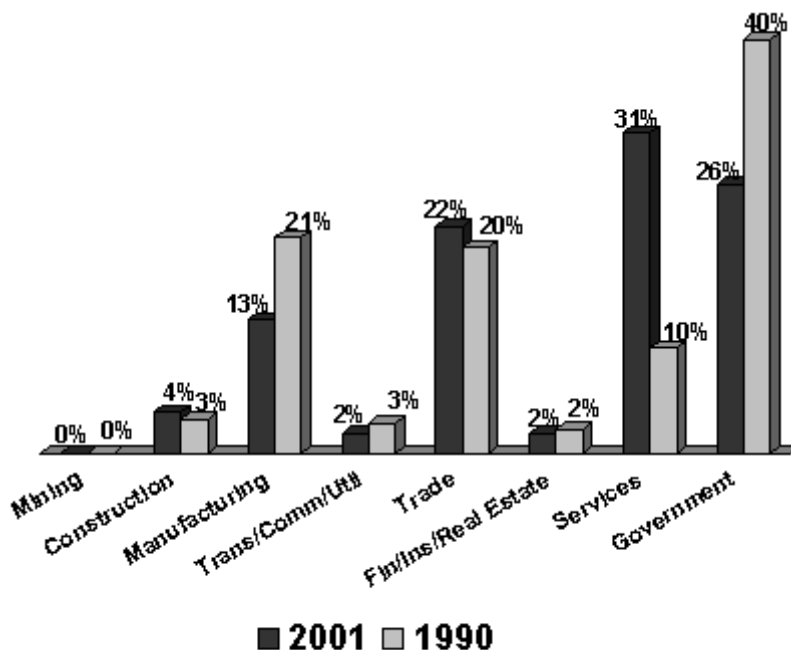
2001 Industrial Job Distribution



Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.

With the exception of a few industries, Kane County's industrial distribution appears similar to the state average. Government is more important in Kane County, and TCPU and FIRE are less important.

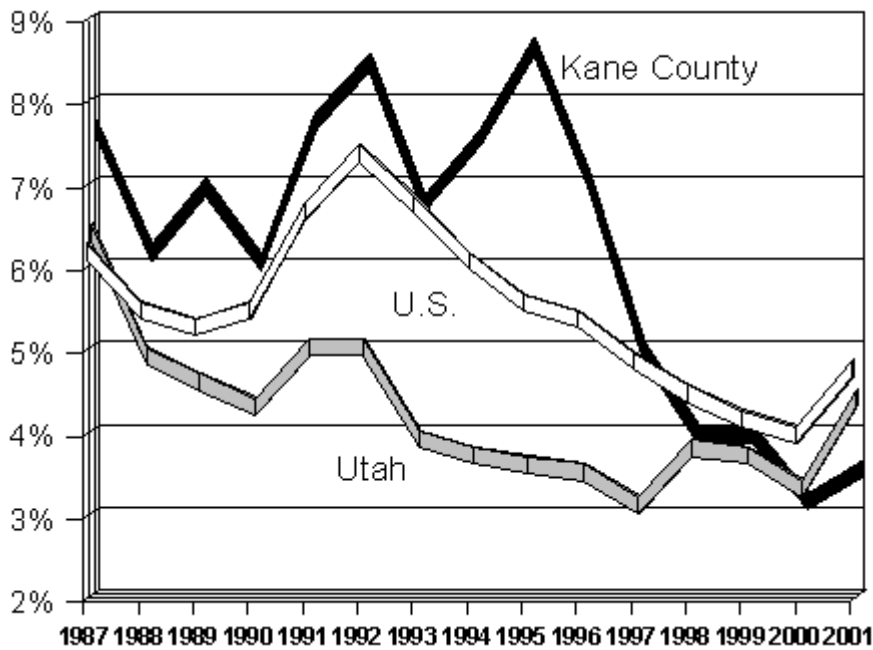
Kane County Industrial Job Distribution



Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.

Services has experienced a dramatic increase in employment share in Kane County since 1990. However, manufacturing and government have become less important sources of employment.

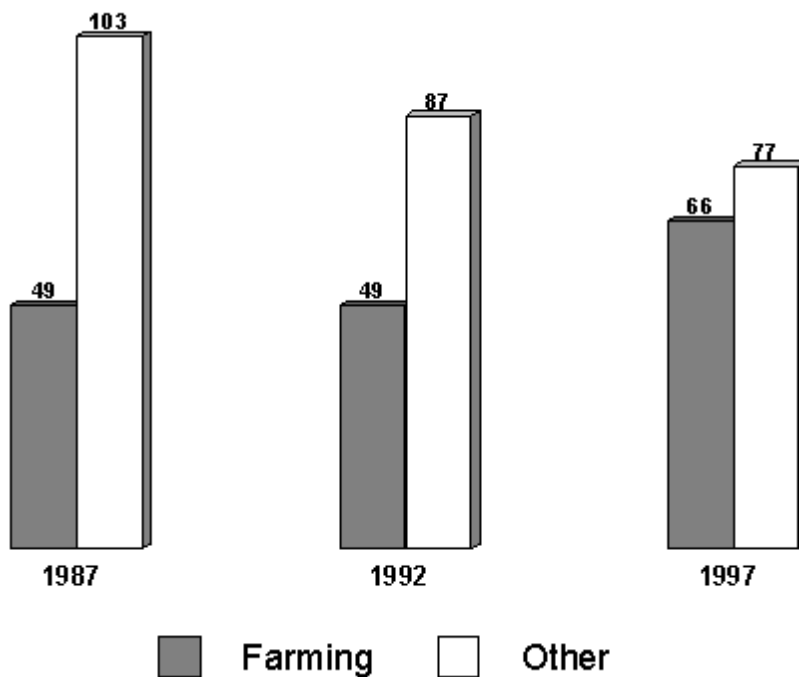
Annual Unemployment Rates



Although Kane County displayed a higher-than-average unemployment rate during most of the 80s and 90s, in 2001, the county's jobless rate measured below both state and national averages.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.

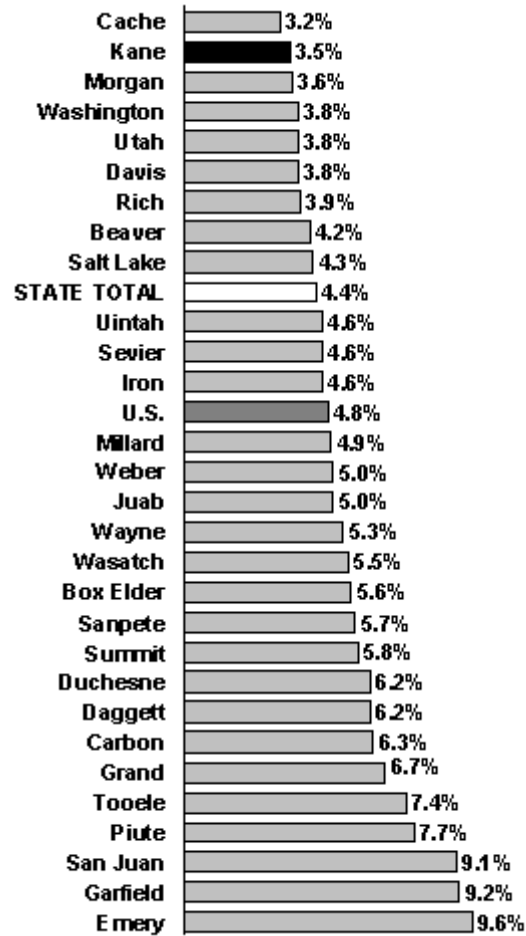
Kane County Farm Operators by Major Occupation



Departing from Utah's typical pattern, more and more workers are finding agriculture their prime source of employment.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

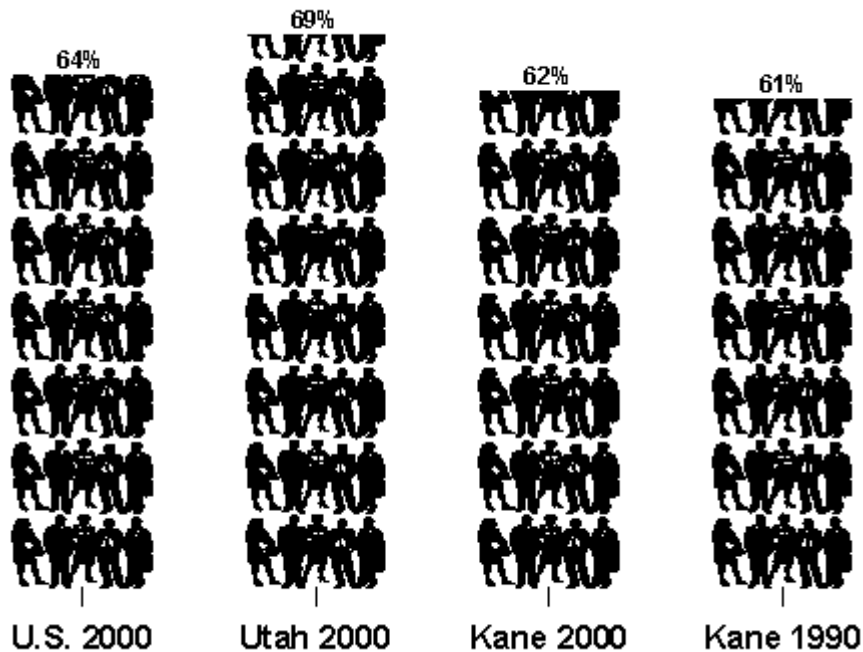
2001 Unemployment Rates by County



While the national recession nudged most jobless rates up, Kane experienced the second lowest rate in the state.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.

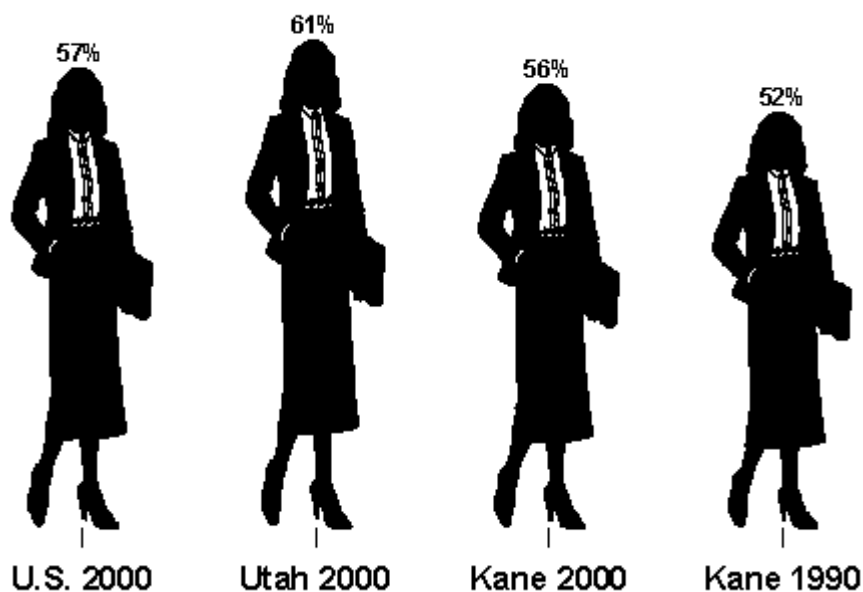
Labor Force Participation Rates



The share of Kane County's population in the labor force is smaller than both the state and national averages. However, it rose slightly from the 1990 Census figure.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

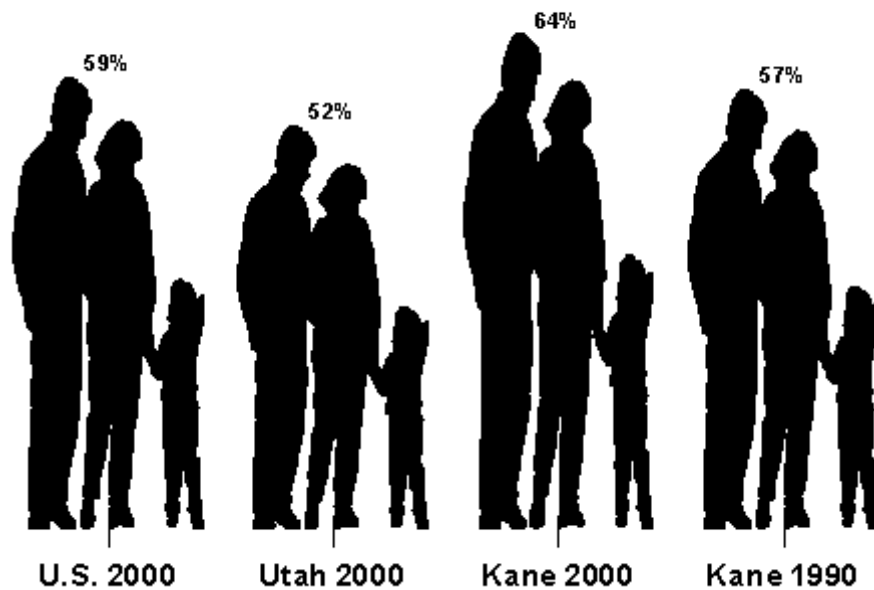
Female Labor Force Participation Rates



The percentage of women in the Kane County labor force is up from 1990. Currently, it measures just under the U.S. rate, but far below the Utah figure.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

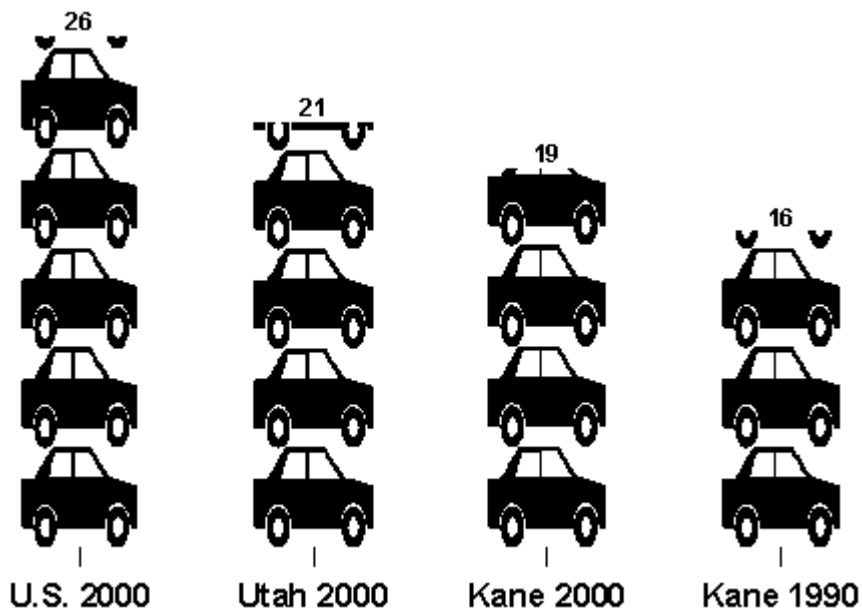
Children under Six with Both Parents in Labor Force



A large share of Kane County's children under age six have both parents in the labor force.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

Mean Travel Time to Work



Kane County workers spend an average of three more minutes commuting to work than they did in 1990. Fortunately, Kane County commuters spend roughly seven fewer minutes going to work than the average American.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

Largest Kane County Employers

First Quarter 2002

Company	Type of Industry	Employment
<i>Kane County School District</i>	<i>Public Education</i>	<i>200-299</i>
<i>Best Friends Animal Sanctuary</i>	<i>Animal Services</i>	<i>200-299</i>
<i>Kane County Hospital</i>	<i>Healthcare</i>	<i>100-199</i>
<i>Aramark Sports & Entertainment</i>	<i>Resorts</i>	<i>100-199</i>
<i>Stampin' Up</i>	<i>Stamp Manufacturing</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>Federal Government</i>	<i>Federal Government</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>State of Utah</i>	<i>State Government</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>Kane County</i>	<i>Local Government</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>Honey IGA Supercenter</i>	<i>Grocery Store</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>Glazier's Food Town</i>	<i>Food Store</i>	<i>50-99</i>
<i>Thunderbird Restaurant/Motel</i>	<i>Restaurant/Lodging</i>	<i>25-49</i>
<i>Kanab City</i>	<i>Local Government</i>	<i>25-49</i>
<i>Coral Cliffs Development</i>	<i>Lodging</i>	<i>25-49</i>
<i>McDonald's</i>	<i>Fast Food Restaurant</i>	<i>25-49</i>
<i>Shilo Inn</i>	<i>Lodging</i>	<i>25-49</i>
<i>Houston's Trails End, Inc</i>	<i>Restaurant</i>	<i>25-49</i>

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services.